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In re Application of  
Christopher Van Michaels  
Serial Number: 10/620,870  
Filed: July 15, 2003  
For: CLEAN PROCESS OF PROCESSES FOR  
MANUFACTURING NON CARCINOGENOUS  
ZERO POLLUTING ECO FUELS FROM GAS  
HYDRATES, NOT EXHAUSTING EVEN CO<sub>2</sub> TO  
FACE THE CANCER AND THE MENACING  
GREEN HOUSE EFFECT

PETITION UNDER  
M.P.E.P.708.02 III,  
IV, V, VI AND IX

This is in response to the petition filed July 15, 2003, requesting that the above-identified application be granted Special Status under Section 708.02 III, IV, V, VI and IX of the MPEP and 37 CFR 1.102(c) (**no fee required**).

The request for Special Status considered under Section 708.02 IV of the MPEP is granted because criteria under 37 CFR 1.102(c) has been met. The petitions filed under Sections 708.02 III, V, VI and IX are moot.

Accordingly the petition is **GRANTED**.

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